GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Upgradation of NHs
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received proposals from various States for upgradation of the highways of the States;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) the number and names of States where highways have been upgraded during the last three years; and

(d) the amount of funds allocated for this purpose during the last three years and the target fixed for the next year

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (d) The Ministry keeps on receiving proposals from various State Governments for declaration/upgradation of State roads as new National Highways (NHs) from time to time.

The Ministry considers declaring some State roads as new NHs from time to time based on the requirement of connectivity, inter-se priority and availability of funds.

The details of State roads/highways which have been upgraded as new NHs during the last three years are annexed.

No separate fund is allocated for development of such new NHs.